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Applicants: Jennifer M. Kurtz

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For: "Fuel and Air Flow Control in a Multi-Stack Fuel Cell Power Plant"

RESPONSE C

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the office action dated April 4, 2006. In the office action, the Examiner referred to Claims 1-18 as pending in this application. This is incorrect. Claims 1 and 3-18 are presently pending in this application. Original Claim 2 was canceled in a previous amendment. Thus we interpret the office action as follows.

Claims 1 and 3-18 are pending. Claims 1 and 7 stand rejected as being anticipated by EP 0 263 052. Claims 5 and 6 stand rejected as being obvious over EP 0 263 052 in view of Jones. Claims 3, 4 and 8 stand rejected as being obvious over EP 0 263 052 in view of Mukerjee et al. Claims 3 and 4 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

Claims 9-18 stand allowed.

Please amend this application as follows.